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### GENERAL ASSOCIATION OF COLORED BAPTISTS IN SESSION IN DANVILLE, KY.

The Ministers and Messengers meeting which precedes the meeting of the Association assembled in the handsome First Baptist Church this city Tuesday morning Aug. 11 and was called to order by Rev. W. J. M. Price, Moderator. The opening hymn "Come ye that love the Lord" was lined by Rev. J. E. Wood and Rev. G. M. Fisher led in prayer. The annual address of Rev. W. J. M. Price, Moderator was very touching and was much enjoyed. The members present were enrolled and programme was approved. The morning hour was spent in a very earnest and animated discussion of the topic "Mission work and how to do it." Benediction by Rev. Wm. Allen.

**AFTERNOON SESSION.**  
At this session there was an increased attendance and the lecture room was crowded. Revs. H. D. Colerane and W. B. Hall conducted devotional services. Dr. D. A. Gaddie after the reading of the minutes delivered a strong and logical address, "When the Baptist church was organized." This address was listened to with deep interest and was warmly commended at its conclusion. It was approved as the sense of the meeting. The usual collection was taken and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. H. Edmunds.

**EVENING SESSION.**  
Rev. W. J. M. Price presided and Rev. R. P. Whitesides led in devotional services. This was the occasion of the introductory sermon to Ministers and Messengers meeting and a large crowd was present to hear it. Rev. A. Williams the preacher of the hour selected Matt. 8 "And he said unto them, Follow me and I will make you fishers of men," and preached a plain and practical sermon using as a subject "Fishers of Men." At the close of the sermon, Rev. D. Anderson offered a fervent prayer. A collection of 9.20 was taken and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. A. Williams.

**THE GENERAL ASSOCIATION.**  
The Messengers of the 35th annual session of the General Association assembled in the main audience room of the First Baptist church Danville, Ky. Wednesday morning and was called to order promptly at 10 o'clock by Moderator J. H. Frank who read Romans 8.

The devotional exercises were led by Revs. E. P. Marrs, P. H. Clark, W. E. Glover and H. Amos and they were of the most impressive character. The Moderator made some timely remarks relative to the work. Mr. Chas. Stewart was appointed official reporter and the representatives of several papers in attendance were requested to make reports of the meeting. Revs. N. Caldwell and G. F. Watson were appointed as marshals. The Moderator announced the appointment of the following committees:

**CREDENTIALS.**  
H. Nutter, H. D. Colerane, J. W. Clark, C. C. Wakefield, W. H. Williams and H. B. Webster.

**FINANCE.**  
J. C. Cross, H. C. Baker, J. W. Clark, W. D. Thompson, L. Willis and R. Quarles. The remainder of the session was spent in reading church letters. The Association joined in singing "Hide me O thou Rock of Ages" and adjourned with benediction by Rev. E. Douglass.

**Duty Ministers and Deacons Conference.**

This body met Monday morning at Green St. Church. Members present: Revs. Coleman, Gaddie, A. G. Hall, Lewis, Perdue, Bates, Blue, Marrs, Brents, McClellan, Jacobs, Jones, Offutt, Craighead, E.

D. W. Brown, Russell, Richardson, Bowen, Caldwell, Davis, Grayson, Wm. Brents, Frank, Reed, Rev nold.  
Brethren Generals, Britt, Riddles, Covington, Weber, Wilson, Floyd, Fuqua.  
Visitors Revs. Jno. Moore, W. E. Glover, J. W. Clark, E. J. Jackson and D. Lucas.  
Rev. L. H. Coleman presided and Revs. Caldwell and Jones conducted devotional services.

**REPORTS**  
Green St.-S. S. 83 collection \$5.06, pastor preached. One received under watchcare, collection \$70.98.

Calvary-S. S. 106 collection \$3.20  
Revs. T. F. Blue and Jno. Moore preached. One by relation, collection \$35.00

Zion-S. S. 130 collection \$2 59, pastor and Rev. T. F. Blue preached. One received under watchcare, collection \$47.00.

Emmanuel-S. S. 72 collection \$4.36, pastor and Rev. D. Lucas preached, collection \$76.85.

Lampton St.-S. S. 75 collection, \$2.35, pastor and Bro. Warren preached, collection \$76.85

Ninth St.-S. S. 46 collection 75 cts. One for baptism, one restored and two under watchcare, collection \$35.60

Centennial-Pastor preached, collection \$13.00.

Good Shepherd-S. S. 11 collection 10 cts., pastor and Bro. A. H. Weber preached. One by baptism and one restored, collection \$7.50

Cable St.-Pastor preached, collection \$51.42

Beargrass-S. S. 27 collection 70 cts. pasto, preached, collection \$45.00.

Bland St.-Pastor and Rev. J. Mitchell preached, collection \$5.15.  
Virginia Ave. S. S. 43 collection 72 cts., pastor and Bro. Milton preached, collection \$6.73.

Brownboro-S. S. 35 collection \$1.50, pastor preached, collection \$13.00.

Rose Hill-Pastor and Revs. C. C. Bates and J. B. Barnes preached, collection \$14.00.

Indiana Ave. S. S. 15 collection 34 cts., pastor preached collection \$4.55.

Mt. Olive-S. S. 29 collection \$1.30, Pastor and Rev. J. W. Spalding preached. One received under watchcare. Collection \$29.30.

Goose Creek-S. S. 16 collection 27 cts., pastor preached, collection \$81.15.

Pleasureville-Pastor preached, collection \$121.29.  
Bloomfield-S. S. 45 collection 23 cts., pastor preached, one restored, collection \$10.27.

Green Castle-S. S. 43 collection \$1.30, pastor and Rev. C. M. Jacobs preached, one restored, collection \$50.00.

Little Flock-S. S. 35 collection 85, pastor and Rev. Wm. Brents preached, collection \$35.47.

Howards Chapel-S. S. 20 collection 20 cts. pastor and Rev. J. W. Lewis preached, collection \$10.00

Antioch-S. S. 45 collection 60 cts., pastor preached, one restored, collection \$40.00.

Newburg S. S. 30 collection \$1.02 pastor and Rev. W. F. Hart preached, collection \$46.00.

Fifth St. S. S. 200, collection \$3.86, Revs. J. W. Moore and J. Grayson preached, collection \$169.

Bro. A. H. Weber read an able paper on "The Work of the Holy Spirit," which was warmly discussed and approved.

The visitors were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Bro. J. R. Riddles read an interesting Critique upon the proceedings of the meeting.

The usual announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by Bro. F. Generals

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